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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

PORTLAND DIVISION

A.B., Case No. 3:21-cv-00311-HZ

Plaintiff,

V.

NON-PARTY DR. ESTHER CHOO'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE REPLY

DR. JASON CAMPBELL and OREGON HEALTH & SCIENCE UNIVERSITY,

Local Rule 26-3(c)

Defendants. Oral Argument Requested

LR 7-1 CERTIFICATION

In compliance with Local Rule 7-1, counsel for Dr. Choo certifies that he conferred by telephone and email with counsel for Plaintiff and counsel for Plaintiff does not oppose this motion.

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MOTION

Pursuant to Local Rule 26-3(c), Dr. Choo hereby moves for leave to file the Reply Memorandum in Support of her Motion for Protective Order, attached hereto as Exhibit 1, in further support of Dr. Choo's Motion.

MEMORANDUM

On April 14, 2021, non-party Dr. Esther Choo ("Dr. Choo") filed a Motion for Protective Order, ECF 33, seeking protection regarding the confidentiality of Plaintiff's document requests, her Responses to such document requests, and the negotiations surrounding the document requests. That same day, Plaintiff filed her Response to Dr. Choo's Motion for Protective Order, ECF 35.

Plaintiff's Response contains numerous falsehoods that should, for fair consideration of Dr. Choo's Motion, be corrected. *First*, Plaintiff suggests that it was clear from the April 14, 2021 meet and confer that Plaintiff's counsel did not oppose the relief sought in her Motion for Protective Order. Nothing could be further from the truth. Instead, Plaintiff's counsel explicitly stated that he could not commit to keeping the Responses confidential. *See* ECF 36-1 ("You asked me to confirm whether plaintiff was going to treat the subpoena response confidential in the future if the subpoena response was not designated confidential according to the protective order. I said I could not say."). *Second*, Plaintiff's Counsel's accompanying Declaration to the Response, ECF 36-1, does not accurately convey what actually occurred during that telephone call. *See* Declaration of Rachel L. Tuchman in Support of Unopposed Motion for Leave to File Reply.

Accordingly, Dr. Choo hereby requests the Court grant this unopposed motion for leave to file the Reply Memorandum in Support of her Motion for Protective Order, attached hereto as Exhibit 1, in further support of Dr. Choo's Motion.

DATED this 15th day of April, 2021.

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